

WEDDING BELLS IN OLD VIRGINIA

Home of Mrs. Charles Womack,
in Danville, Scene of an Eleg-
ant Marriage.

THE BEAUTIFUL DECORATIONS

Miss Sallie Vincent Womack Be-
comes the Bride of Benjamin
Herbert Thomas.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
DANVILLE, VA., October 22.—The home of Mrs. Charles Womack, on Main Street, was the scene of a beautiful and attractive wedding at high noon today, when her daughter, Miss Sallie Vincent Womack, became the bride of Mr. Benjamin Herbert Thomas, a prominent merchant, and a well known business man of Danville, N. C. Rev. Graham H. Lambeth, pastor of the Mount Vernon M. E. Church, officiated.

The ceremony was a beautiful and attractive one, and the wedding was a most successful one. The bride was dressed in a beautiful gown, and the groom was in a suit of gray. The wedding was a most successful one, and the bride and groom were both very happy.

DAY OF INTEREST AT OLD TIMBER RIDGE



Timber Ridge Presbyterian Church, Re-
modeled and Extended 1902.

Lexington Presbytery Celebrates 150th Anniversary of Historic Church.

MANY FINE ADDRESSES MADE

Dr. Strickler, One of the Speakers,
Discusses Presbyterian Doc-
trine in Pointed Manner.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LEXINGTON, VA., October 22.—The Presbytery of Lexington is in session at the Old Stone Presbyterian Church at Timber Ridge, Rockbridge county, and Sunday was set apart as the celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the erection of the sacred structure. An interesting program, embracing addresses by accomplished speakers, was carried out in the presence of a large gathering from Lexington, from Augusta county, and from the country round about for miles. Stirring addresses, stimulating music, and the generous hospitality of kindly people combined to make the day notable and enjoyable.

Greeting by Pastor.
After the doxology and invocation by the moderator, Rev. C. R. Strickling, of Waynesboro, Va., the "Greeting and Welcome" was extended by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Towles, who briefly recalled the deeds of sacrifice and devotion of the early settlers in building the house of God. In closing, he presented a novel to the presbytery, which was made from a log of the first house of worship erected in the community, which was in the year 1752.

Rev. William C. White, of Warm Springs, Va., also clearly responded to the address of welcome. He made the point that the Presbytery of Lexington was born in the Timber Ridge Church, the first meeting having been held in that church on October 26, 1752. Mr. A. T. Burdick, of Lexington, made an instructive and comprehensive address on the "Early Settlers," tracing the origin of the Scotch-Irish, who came to the United States from the North of Ireland, to which country they came from Scotland on account of religious persecution. He told the story of how, in the wilds of the new country, these sturdy people had established for themselves and their children homes in which they might worship God undisturbed.

Dr. Strickler on Doctrine.
"Presbyterian doctrine," by Rev. G. R. Strickler, D. D., LL. D., of Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, was a clear and simple statement of Presbyterian faith. He laid down the proposition that Presbyterians believe the Scriptures, the Old Testament and the New, to have been written by holy men, and that from beginning to end they are inspired. His address covered the points of God's absolute sovereignty, human free agency and divine decrees, all of which he amplified by quotations from the Bible and illustrated by practical incidents.

The Rev. W. W. Moore, D. D., LL. D., of Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, spoke on "The Rock on Which the Republic Rests." He declared the Word of God to be the palladium of the United States. The speaker treated his subject under the heads, "The Bible as Literature," "The Bible as Necessary to the Best Interests of Our Civil Government," "The Bible Necessary to a Sound Morality and a Spiritual Life."

The concluding address was made by Rev. Alfred Jones, D. D., of Fredericksburg, Va., a former pastor, whose subject was "Her Pastors and Elders." Many addresses of comments on the work and influence of these two classes. Many names, said he, now appear on the rolls of the congregation who are the descendants of the original settlers.

An incident of interest was the an-



Organized 1746, Built 1756, Improved 1875.

ouncement by the pastor of the gift of two brass collection plates from Mrs. E. P. McDowell Wolff, of Atlanta, Ga., a daughter of Governor James McDowell, and a direct descendant of Captain McDowell, one of the original settlers.

History of Old Church.

The history of the "Old Stone" Church reads like a romance. The first settlers of what is now Rockbridge county located in 1722 on a fine wooded ridge, which they called Timber Ridge. Here they built their primitive log dwellings and erected their family altars, having brought their religious convictions and their faith with them from their homes in the bosoms of Southern and the country of Ulster, in Ireland. The pattern for these earliest settlers was Episcopalian McDowell.

The present stone structure was erected in 1756, although ten years before a log church had been built by the same congregation. In the construction of the "Old Stone" church, native limestone was used, which was dragged on sleds, there being at that time no wheeled vehicle in the neighborhood. The sled used for the mortar was carried on horseback by the women a distance of five miles. Wolves and Indians at this time created the most terror, and the people fled in panic against the wall. The old church has undergone several changes. Ten years ago it was enlarged in transepts, making it cruciform. In the vestibule wall is a tablet bearing this inscription:

In the Memory of
THE NOBLE WOMEN
Who aided this Church,
Helped to Build this Church,
1756.

Since its foundation the following have been the preachers: Organized by Rev. John Blane in 1746; William Dean, 1748; John Brown, D. D., 1752-1757; William Graham, 1757-1760; Daniel Blair, 1760-1774; Henry Bunker, D. D., 1774-1811; Allen T. Metcalf, 1811-1834; James Paine, 1834-1851; W. W. Towles, 1851-1856; R. J. Taylor, 1856-1875; J. C. Brown, 1875-1883; Alfred Jones, D. D., 1883-1893; Henry Alexander White, D. D., 1893-1898; J. H. Davis, 1898-1899; J. L. Linton, 1899-1902; J. A. Towles, 1902, the present pastor.

The present official directory is as follows: Elders—Thomas A. Strickling, A. Kirtland, P. A. Orr, C. L. Thompson, J. L. Goodman, A. R. Mackay, G. W. Womack, Deacons—S. T. Thompson, J. H. Lacey, J. L. L. Kirtland, D. W. Taylor, J. H. White, J. P. Hildman, W. S. Mackay, Trustees—Alex. Lewis, T. A. Kirtland, C. L. Thompson, M. H. Criel, S. M. Lacey, G. W. Womack, C. E. Mackay, Superintendent of the Sunday-school, S. W. Wilson.

HAVE VESTED CHOIR.

Makes First Appearance at St. James' Church, Boynton.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BOYNTON, VA., October 22.—A new departure in the arrangement for the church choir was inaugurated yesterday at the morning service of St. James' Episcopal Church in this place, when the choir in their vestments of white filed into the body of the church and marched down the centre aisle, singing all the way as they marched into their places at the right side of the chancel. This scene was a pretty one, and was beheld by quite a large congregation. Nothing like this had ever been seen in this community before.

The interior of the church has been recently remodeled and is very attractive. St. James' Church originally stood some five miles northwest of this place in the country, and was built in the lifetime of the late Bishop Beveridge, who resided near the church. The old church was sold to the Methodists, who now occupy it, retaining the name of "St. James' Church." A new brick edifice was then built here some time between 1850 and 1860, which is now occupied by the Episcopalians. The new pastor, Rev. Mr. R. R. Carter, is a zealous as well as an eloquent preacher, and is infusing new life in his church members.

NEGRO WOMAN KILLED BY PASSENGER TRAIN

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BUTKESVILLE, VA., October 22.—"Squire" M. A. Redford, in walking down the Norfolk and Western track from his home to Butkessville, was passed by No. 1 northbound passenger train, bearing no headlights. Just after crossing the trestle over the Southern track the "Squire" came across a portion of a human body, which he could not see who it was, but it was warm, and evidently had just been run over by the train. After procuring lights and assistance, it was found to be a portion of the body of Ella Daniels, the former cook of the Rev. Mr. Edge of the place. Ella was returning from Mr. Horner's, where she had been to seek employment. Her home was near Rocky Ford, in Nottoway county.

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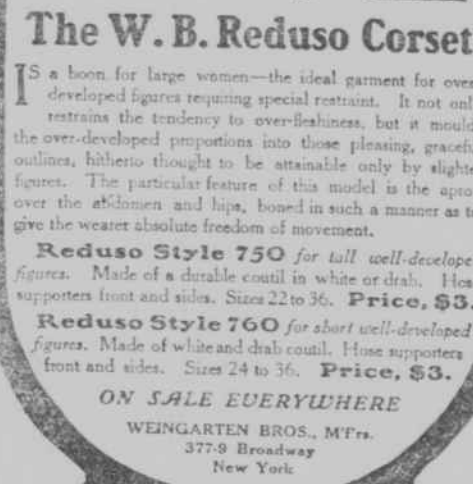
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SAYS THE TRUSTS ARE CHIEF ISSUE

Judge Mann Pays His Respects
to Them in Strong Speech at
Staunton.

HOW STANDARD OIL DOES

Cuts Prices Until Opposition Is
Crushed and Then Puts
Them Up.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
STAUNTON, VA., October 22.—A large number of Staunton and Augusta county voters assembled at the courthouse at 11 o'clock this morning to hear Judge William H. Mann, of Nottoway, in a discussion of the principles of Democracy and the issues of the congressional campaign. The speaker was introduced by Joseph A. Glasgow, county chairman of the Democratic party. His speech was confined principally to State issues, although he touched at times on national politics, and the audience was interested and attentive. Judge Mann prefaced his speech with a word of thanks to the voters of this county for their loyal support in his campaign for Governor, and with a tribute to the summer of 1906, which he said had been the proudest of his life. He said with feeling that he was a Democrat in victory or in defeat, and that the party's principles could never be broken down of him, as he expected to ever stand for the rights of the people. The first question under discussion was the trusts, which the speaker regarded as the greatest national issue of the present day. He said that he was against the corporations and corrupt bodies of

capitalists, which trample under foot the rights of deserving individuals, rendering legitimate effort and personal worth absolutely unable to compete with them in the fields of commerce. He cited an instance in which a branch office of the Standard Oil Company was established adjacent to a merchant who was handling oil. The company set a lower price on the fuel than the merchant, and finally furnished it gratis with the labor of a team to clean lamps and trim kerosene until the merchant was driven to the wall, a bankrupt. Then it had a monopoly, and put its exorbitant price on its oil, and soon required many times the amount previously paid.

SCOTTSVILLE SOCIAL

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SCOTTSVILLE, VA., October 22.—The steel work for the new bridge across the James here will probably be ready for shipment from Roanoke about the middle of December.

J. N. Harris, G. A. Mundy, H. Jordan, C. E. Rausman and J. M. Whitehead, of Richmond, visited Scottsville this week.

Mrs. M. S. Edwards and Mr. J. L. Stark, of Carter's Bridge, were at Clinchside on Tuesday.

Mr. George Hogg, of Schuyler, is in the town.

Dr. A. C. Oppenheimer, of Richmond, visited relatives in Fluvanna a few days ago.

Mr. Edward Scott, Jr., has returned from a trip to Richmond.

W. F. Russell, of Baltimore, and C. H. Norpp, of New Jersey, were in Scottsville this week.

H. B. Brown, of Mount Airy, Va., has been visiting friends here.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. G. Newman, after spending the summer at their country home, "Mount Airy," Orange county, returned this week to New York. Mrs. Newman is a daughter of Mr. Edward Moon, of Henric, and with her parents, was formerly a resident of Duck-incham county. The trip to New York was made in Mr. Newman's private car. Mrs. Newman's mother and sister, who are Mrs. Edward Moon and Mrs. E. N. Newman, of Richmond, accompanied the pair.

UNKNOWN STRANGER FOULY MURDERED

The Body, Though Badly Cut by
the Train, Bled Very
Little.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
BOXBURY, VA., October 22.—The unknown man supposed to have been run over and killed by the West Point train, near Quinton, Saturday morning, was undoubtedly murdered and his body placed on the track. The evidence at the coroner's inquest showed that, although the man's head was nearly severed from the trunk and one leg and one arm cut off there was scarcely any blood where the body lay, and it was cold when reached by the train hands. The track-

walker had passed the spot thirty miles before and there was no one on the track and no one in sight.

"The dead stranger was evidently of foreign birth, perhaps an Italian or Swede. He had dark curly hair and was about forty-five years old. He had a lot of shell corn in his pocket. There was a note in another pocket, which read:

"Dear Doctor—I send you this man, which I hope may suit you."

"Signed TEMPLE AND EDWARDS, 'Richmond, Va.'"

The remains were decently buried at the expense of the county near where the accident occurred.

The identity of the unfortunate stranger remains a mystery.

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Ashland Notes.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ASHLAND, VA., October 22.—Miss and Mrs. John Addison, who have been on a visit to Washington, D. C., have returned to Ashland.

Rev. E. A. Dickerson returned on Saturday from a visit of some days to friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. Charles Hunter, Jr., who has been visiting here, returned Saturday to her home in Baltimore, accompanied by Mr. Robert Hunter.

Mrs. Southall, of Eastern Shore, Virginia, has been the guest of Mr. Harry Taylor for several days at Henry Clay Inn.

Richmonders in New York.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEW YORK, October 22.—Hotel Astor, T. B. McAdams and wife; Astor, J. W. Scales; Navarro, J. A. Preter and wife; Victoria, E. C. Robles and wife; Wadcott, A. D. Williams and wife.